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MOB LAW IN INDIANA

Five Men Taken From Jail at Versailles and Hanged.

GREWSOME SIGHT IN COURTYARD.

The Men Were Suspected of Having Been Guilty of Numerous Robberies and Other Crimes—Two of Them Were Shot Before They Were Hanged—Governor Mount's Message to the Sheriff.

Osgood, Ind., Sept. 16.—Incensed by numerous depredations, repeated burglaries and daylight robberies, the people of Ripley county, Ind., have taken the law into their own hands and meted out to the perpetrators a punishment greater than provided by the law. Five men, who have long been a terror to the citizens of this county, met their death at the hands of an enraged populace and when the citizens of Versailles, the county seat, arose yesterday morning, it was to find the bodies of five men dangling from as many limbs of an elm tree in the center of the public square. Stout ropes, not over six feet in length, had served to send each to his eternity, and their feet were but a few inches from the ground, while their hands and feet had been securely pinioned with strong ropes.

Versailles is a town of some 800 people. It is one of the oldest in the state, and although it is five miles from a railroad station and has no telegraphic communication with the outside world, as have more pretentious towns of the county, it is still the county seat. For four or five years, and even longer, farmers of the county have been the victims of a lawless gang, who, apparently lacking in fear, have plied their vocation to the terror of the people, for they seemingly have had no visible means of earning a living. Farmers would come into town with a bunch of cattle or load of farming products, and next morning they would be found along the roadside, suffering from a wound and minus the proceeds of their sale. Old German farmers have been visited and both men and women have been subjected to all the tortures that a hardened mind could stand. Aged German women were forced to stand upon a red-hot stove in an effort to compel them to disclose the hiding place of some treasure in the house. These depredations have continued unceasingly.

During the past week robberies had increased alarmingly. On last Saturday word was received by the sheriff that the store of Wooley Brothers at Correct, Ind., 10 miles from here, was to be entered. The information was given by one of the gang's confederates, who had been under suspicion. Sheriff Henry Bushing arranged that his informant should accompany them and securing five deputies they went to the place. Sheriff Bushing concealed himself in the cellar, while his deputies were stationed at a convenient distance outside. Shortly after midnight, the gang reached Wooley Brothers' store. Clifford Gordon and the sheriff's informant were designated to break into the building. Gordon himself effected an entrance and just as he stepped inside the sheriff grabbed him. Both pulled pistols at the same time and began firing. Bert Andrews was with the robbers and he, too, joined in the fusillade, while the deputies came to the assistance of the sheriff.

Some 30 shots were fired. The sheriff was shot through the hand and Gordon was shot several times. Three pistol balls entered his body and he was also shot in the leg. Gordon and Andrews succeeded in escaping and came to Osgood, where they were arrested. The robbers had driven out of the place in a buggy belonging to Lyle Levi, and from information subsequently gathered it was learned that the robbery had been planned at the home of William Jenkins. The two latter were arrested as accessories. All were taken to the jail at Versailles. Henry Schuler, 24 years, was put in the jail for robbing the barber shop at Osgood last week. Levi was 57 years of age, Gordon 22, Andrews 30 and Jenkins 27.

While the citizens have not been able to fix the various robberies upon these men they were thought to be part of a gang that has committed most of them. When it became known that they were in jail it was quietly suggested by the victims and sympathizers that "justice" be summarily dealt the prisoners. It was 1 o'clock yesterday morning when horsemen seemed to come from all quarters and dismounted on a hillside near Versailles. Little time was lost, for the details had been prearranged. Quietly about 400 men marched into the town.

The jail was in charge of William Kenan, Sheriff Bushing's brother-in-law, the former being at home on account of his injury. In front of the jail proper is the residence, and in that were Acting Jailor Kenan and Robert Barnett, William Block and Len Wenzel, deputies.

Shortly before 2 o'clock there was a knock at the door, and when Kenan and others opened the door they were presented with pistols by three masked men and asked to turn over the keys. This they did, and then the mob fled into the jail. Three of the prisoners, Levi, Jenkins and Shuler, were on the lower floor, while Gordon and Andrews were in the upper tier. Levi, Jenkins and Shuler showed fight, and the former was shot through the breast, while the skulls of the two latter were crushed with a stool.

Ropes were in readiness, and adjusting a noose around the neck of each, their feet and hands were pinioned, and then the march began. They were not carried, but with several men at the end of each rope, the five prisoners were dragged a distance of 200 feet to an elm

tree, where their bodies were suspended. It is said Levi, Jenkins and Shuler were dead before they reached the place. Death resulted from hanging in the case of Gordon and Andrews.

Governor Mount Mad.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—Governor Mount has sent the following to the sheriff of Ripley county: "Wire me at once the particulars of the lynching that has occurred in your county. I further direct that you proceed immediately with all the power you can command to bring to justice all parties guilty of participating in the murder of the five men alleged to have been lynched. Such lawlessness is intolerable and all the power of the state, if necessary, will be vigorously employed for the arrest and punishment of all parties implicated."

SHELTER IS LACKING.

Other Suffering in Dawson City Besides That of Hunger.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—Hope for those who have friends in the Klondike is held out by Frank Cryder, who came down on the steamer Humboldt after having spent five years in the Yukon. He does not believe there will be any deaths from starvation, though he admits that food will be scarce. Cryder says that lack of shelter is a more serious condition confronting the miners in the gold belt than starvation. He states that the closing of the company stores at Dawson was a temporary expedient merely to prevent speculators from cornering all the provisions in the country and thereafter holding supplies at fabulous prices.

"It is not proposed to allow this," continued Cryder. "The miners have determined that any man selling food must do so at the company's prices. These are fixed and will not be allowed to go higher. Where so many people are together and can interchange, food goes a long way. An outfit that would last one man a year can be made to hold out 18 months by judicious trading. Do not understand that I am advising anyone to go there this winter. I am simply stating these facts to encourage those who have friends in the north. Lack of shelter will, in my opinion, be responsible for more suffering in the Klondike than will famine."

"It costs \$1,000 for a fair log cabin already built and the time and labor in constructing a new one would amount to about the same. There were not over 100 houses in Dawson when I left, while in the city there were 3,000 people. In the gulches are being built huts to shelter those who labor in the mines. Where the new comers with light outfits and empty pockets will lay their heads is an unsolved problem."

As to the mining outlook, Cryder declared that \$25,000,000 will be taken this winter from the claims on Bonanza and Eldorado creeks.

Attempted Robbery.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—Prior to the departure of the steamer Cleveland from St. Michael's, an attempt was made to rob the safe of the North American Trading and Transportation company. The robbers were interrupted while at work and eluded capture. It was thought that they came to Seattle on the steamer South Coast, but the Seattle police have been unable to locate them. The information was given to the Seattle police by R. S. Churchill, formerly a member of the Northwest mounted police, and was also confirmed by letters received at the local office of the trading company.

Overdue Excelsior Arrives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The long overdue steamer Excelsior, which left St. Michael's, Alaska, for this port six weeks ago, but was compelled to put back to Unalaska for repairs, after having broken two blades of her propeller, has arrived here with 63 passengers and about \$500,000 in gold.

A BOY'S TERRIBLE DEED.

He Accidentally Kills One Brother and Severely Wounds Another.

WABASH, Ind., Sept. 16.—Last evening, near Lagro, this county, Chester, the 11-year-old son of George Porter, accidentally shot and killed Everett, his 6-year-old brother, and seriously wounded Forrest, another brother, 4 years old. The children were alone in the house, and as the mother approached she heard the report of a shotgun.

She found Everett on the floor with his head almost severed from his body. A heavy charge of shot had torn away his neck. Chester was running around the room screaming, and when quieted said he had found the gun, pointed it at Everett and it was discharged. Forrest had part of his cheek torn away, and the wadding and one shot lodged in his ear.

Enforcing the Fish Laws.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 16.—E. E. Earle, deputy state fish commissioner, of Lafayette, has been doing his duty in this locality in the enforcement of the fish law. He has been operating for the past two weeks at Fish lake and along the Kankakee river, and the result is eight important captures, the confiscation of three wing nets and a seine, the conviction with heavy penalties of four of the offenders, besides several other cases in process of successful prosecution.

NASHVILLE, Sept. 16.—An additional quarantine order was issued by the state board of health yesterday, applying to Mobile, New Orleans and all infected southern points, and quarantining the entire state against them. Citizens here are not alarmed in the slightest, because past experience has shown this city to be outside of the yellow fever district.

THE FEVER SITUATION

So Far as New Orleans Is Concerned It Has Improved.

ONLY TWO NEW CASES REPORTED

The Health Officials Believe That They Can Still Control the Disease—A Number of New Cases at Ocean Springs and Edwards—A Strict Quarantine Kept Up Against the Infected Places.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16.—So far at least as New Orleans is concerned, the yellow fever situation has materially improved and there is less anxiety than at any time since Monday among the health officials, encouraging them to believe that by no means have they lost control of the situation, and that it is quite within the range of probability to expect that within a short time the superior quarantine and sanitary methods employed will prevail and crush out the bronze visitant.

There were 20 cases reported to the board of health for investigation yesterday. Of these, two are still under investigation, two were reported as suspicious and as requiring further diagnosis, 14 were found to be harmless cases of fever and two were pronounced genuine yellow fever. Of these two, one is the case of an old French butcher, Herman Dartois, living on Madison street, in the immediate vicinity of the French market, and whose case was prematurely reported as yellow fever. The second case is that in the Tour infirmary, one of the semi-private hospitals of the city. The latter patient was taken to the hospital Monday from Poldras and Rampart streets, in this city. These two cases are the only cases which the physicians have been able to trace to Ocean Springs.

At Tour there are some 200 sick people, and the utmost caution is being displayed in order to prevent any possible spread of the disease.

The stormy weather there since Saturday has had the effect of increasing the number of cases at Ocean Springs. Conductor Johnson of the Louisville and Nashville was stricken yesterday, together with three others. One new case was reported at Biloxi. It is that of the Rev. C. F. Emery, pastor of the Methodist church, making three in his family. Biloxi now has 49 cases of sickness. Of these 19 are yellow fever, six are suspicious, and a diagnosis of 13 is reserved. There have been no deaths at Biloxi.

EDWARDS IS INFECTED.

Seven Genuine Cases of Yellow Fever and Many Suspects.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—All the fears of the citizens of Jackson in regard to the sickness prevalent at Edwards have been realized. Dr. Guiteras, the government expert, has confirmed many cases of yellow fever and says there are many suspects. First the cases were reported as malarial fever, then after a time they became dengue fever. Another wait and they were pronounced suspicious, and finally declared to be the genuine yellow fever. During all this time the disease has been spreading rapidly at the rate of five or six new cases daily until there are now 40 cases in existence at Edwards. The evolution of the disease from malarial to yellow fever was such that the people now regard dengue as simply a more convenient term than yellow fever.

Report says that the disease has also appeared at Clinton and Smiths, towns near Edwards. The state board has ordered the discontinuance of trains on the Woodville (Miss.) branch of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road.

It is stated that an expert has been requested to proceed to Nittayma, Miss., to investigate the case of Malcom Cameron, who came from Edwards, and to completely isolate the case.

Yazoo City, Miss., has issued orders for a shotgun quarantine to be enforced. No trains are allowed to stop except to exchange mails at the quarantine stations. No passengers are allowed to leave the train at all, and all mail and express must be fumigated. Guards armed to the teeth are placed along the county boundaries, but in spite of these rigid rules several have managed to get in, some even coming from infected districts. Two drummers who came Monday, were taken yesterday and put in quarantine.

Chattanooga Quarantined.

CHATTANOOGA, Sept. 16.—The city and county boards of health held a meeting yesterday and passed a resolution providing that on and after Saturday, Sept. 18, all persons and baggage entering Chattanooga upon any railroad be required to have a certificate signed by some reputable health officer, showing that passenger and baggage have not been exposed to yellow fever infection, or have not been in any locality infected with yellow fever for 12 days from the date of entry.

Flocking Into Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Sept. 16.—Yellow fever refugees poured into the city yesterday. During the day three special cars of refugees came in from New Orleans and other infected points. One car was filled with the troops from Jackson barracks, in New Orleans. This stopped here but a few minutes and then passed on through to Chickamanga National park, where they will camp.

Spanish Troops For Cuba.

MADRID, Sept. 16.—The war department is concentrating 6,000 troops with the intention of immediately dispatching them as reinforcements to the Spanish army in Cuba.

LUETGERT TRIAL RESUMED.

More Damaging Evidence Produced by the State.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Juror John E. Fowler, Jr., whose sudden illness last Monday caused a recess in the trial of Adolph L. Luetgert, alleged wife-murderer, has so far recovered that the trial was resumed. The evidence given weighed heavily against Luetgert, and no more damaging testimony has been given against him than that from Professor George A. Dorsey of the Field Columbian museum, who was on the stand in the afternoon. One of the bones found in the sausage factory was shown him, and in the most positive manner, and without a particle of hesitation, he pronounced it to be the upper portion of the left thigh bone of a woman. He said that the formation of the upper end of the bone proved without any question that it was the femur of a woman. The bone had the appearance of having been burned, and Assistant State's Attorney McEwen put the question to the witness:

"Could a solution of caustic potash have produced the burnt effect you have pointed out on the bone?"

The reply of the witness was emphatic and immediate.

"In my judgment it could."

The evidence was a hard blow to the defense, and Luetgert scowled black at the witness.

Professor Dorsey also identified a bone shown him as the left temporal bone of a woman.

Professor Norval H. Pierce identified the bones in a manner similar to that of Professor Dorsey.

Luetgert picked up both pieces of the bones which are said to have been found in his sausage factory and examined them with a scowl upon his heavy features. The positive testimony of the two experts troubled the big sausage-maker.

The case of the prosecution is nearing the end. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen stated last night that the state would rest its case by Saturday at noon.

Judge Tuthill ordered the close of the afternoon session of court yesterday that the members of the jury be given a street car ride on the North Side. This order is to be carried out daily hereafter. His honor also changed the hour of opening court from 9:30 to 10 o'clock a. m. This was done to give the jurors half an hour extra time each morning. Judge Tuthill urged each of the jurors to take the best of care of their health during the present warm weather.

AN ENGLISH VIEW OF IT.

The London Times Has a Solution For the Cuban Question.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The Times correspondent at San Sebastian comments upon the "almost complete indifference displayed by representative men regarding the extremely critical political situation." Continuing, he said: "Ministers, generals, diplomatists and public men of all parties and of every variety of opinion merely shrug their shoulders when Cuba is mentioned. The present government is weak in the extreme; but there is no sign that the Liberals are better organized."

"Captain General Weyler will probably be retained in Cuba out of deference to the personal wishes of the late premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo. But experience forces the conviction that Cuba will never be pacified by military operations. The question arises whether the United States could be induced to stop American supplies to the insurgents. If so, there is no doubt that the rebellion would soon collapse. The difficulty would be great; but the question ought seriously to occupy the attention of the Spanish statesmen."

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

Postmaster General Gary Favors Their Establishment.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Postmaster General Gary is devoting considerable attention these days to an investigation of the wisdom of establishing postal savings banks. When in the last congress a bill was sent to him providing for such institutions he declined to indorse it because, as he said, he had not had an opportunity to investigate the subject. He has since taken up the matter, reading all the literature bearing upon it he could procure and seeking opportunity to discuss its merits with those familiar with it. The result is that he has become convinced of both the wisdom and the utility of postal savings institutions and has decided to have a bill prepared providing for their establishment and to recommend its passage by congress.

In all probability he will treat the subject in his annual report at some length. He has not yet decided upon the details of any plan, but will soon give his attention to them.

A TERRIBLE FALL.

Ten Men Drop Over Five Hundred Feet in a Mine Shaft.

NANTICOKE, Pa., Sept. 16.—The cage in which 10 men were being lowered into shaft No. 2 of the Alden Coal company suddenly dropped to the bottom of the shaft. Eight of the men were severely injured and the injuries of four may prove fatal.

The shaft is 580 feet deep. The cage had started down the shaft and the engineer losing control of the machinery, it dropped to the bottom at terrific speed. The steel cage itself was broken and twisted, and the men narrowly escaped instant death.

The four most seriously injured were removed to the Wilkesbarre hospital. The injured are as follows: Marion Kulakowski, Joseph Kotsull, Jacob Sack, Joseph Gallis, Stephen Ealys, et al.

BIG LOSS TO LONDON

The Little Ohio Town Almost Destroyed by Fire.

BUSINESS BUILDINGS BURNED.

Columbus and Springfield Were Called on For Assistance in Fighting the Flames. Chapter of Accidents—Disastrous Freight Wreck—A Misunderstanding Causes a Wreck—Other Ohio News.

LONDON, O., Sept. 16.—Not since 1854 has London had such a conflagration as broke out yesterday, about 10 o'clock, in the rear of E. J. Gold & Company's planing mill. Everything being dry, it was soon in flames and the efforts of the firemen to check it were fruitless. The flames spread to the 2-story block south, occupied by John Welsh and Tony Bescher, saloonists, and also to the 2-story livery barn of E. R. Bridgman, which were completely gutted.

On the opposite side of the street the buildings of Gus Paine and Phonosdam, M. Riley's warehouse and the Big Four railroad property were greatly damaged. All the small buildings back to Oak street, including residences, were damaged.

The London waterworks failed almost completely and the old city fire engines were put to work. For a time it appeared that the whole city would be lost. The air was calm, being the only preventative.

The Columbus and Springfield fire departments were telegraphed for aid and responded. The Springfield department was the first to arrive with big corps of firemen and did excellent work.

A number of firemen were injured, but not fatally.

The loss estimated at \$30,000, partly insured.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

Three Workmen Meet With Serious Injuries While on Duty.

COSHOCTON, O., Sept. 16.—Adam Schlagle, a workman employed on the river bridge between here and Roscoe, fell, yesterday, from the bridge to the water's edge, 30 feet below, fracturing several ribs and sustaining internal injuries.

Jacob Price, an employe of the paper mills, was severely scalded while at work yesterday.

Edward Bowen, an employe of the Standard Advertising company here, had one of his hands severely injured by being caught in a die press, which he was feeding.

Misunderstanding Causes a Wreck.

ASHTABULA, O., Sept. 16.—Lake Shore fast mail train No. 6 eastbound was delayed here yesterday evening by a wreck, which might have been very serious. Through a misunderstanding of signals the engine was run upon the derailling switch at a cross-over. The engine sidetracked a string of coal cars and with two mail cars was tumbled into the ditch. Engineer Michael Regan and Fireman H. H. Brooks jumped and escaped with slight injuries. The passengers were not disturbed by the wreck.

Costly Freight Wreck.

TIFFIN, O., Sept. 16.—A front section of the Baltimore and Ohio freight train broke in two six miles east of Tiffin yesterday. A second section collided with a detached portion of the first train, derailling the engine and demolishing 20 cars, and merchandise. The engine and three cars took fire and burned. Frank Elston Garrett, engineer of the second freight, jumped and was seriously injured. Damage about \$20,000.

Ex-State Senator Dead.

MARION, O., Sept. 16.—Hon. John Bain, died at his home, west of here, yesterday, aged 69. He was a member of the state senate three years ago and gained much newspaper notoriety from the fact that his pockets were picked while making a prayer at the opening of the Ohio building at the world's fair.

LARUE, O., Sept. 16.—Noah Clark, who escaped from the Larue prison a month ago, was captured three miles east of this place last night, in a cornfield. A blood hound had been placed on his track and cornered the man, who was taken to Marion and placed in jail.

Farmers Swindled.

WARREN, O., Sept. 16.—Farmers in this section are reported to have been victimized by swindlers, who claim to be selling feed mills. The swindlers approach only one man in a community and when he signs an order it turns out to be a note.

Attempted Suicide.

BUFORD, O., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Amanda Duncan, wife of Thomas Duncan, a former railroad engineer, attempted suicide at her home near here yesterday by drowning. Domestic trouble was the cause.

Boy Instantly Killed.

FREMONT, O., Sept. 16.—A son of Mr. and Mrs. James Terry was riding on a loaded water tank, when he fell off, the wheels passing over his head, crushing his skull, and killing him instantly.

Almost Severed His Foot.

MARYSVILLE, O., Sept. 16.—Isaac Staley of this city was removing an ax from the handle when it alighted on his foot in such a manner that the foot was almost severed.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Election, Tuesday, November 2nd, 1897.
 For Clerk of the Court of Appeals.
 S. J. SHACKLEFORD.
 For Circuit Judge.
 JAMES P. HARBESON.
 For Commonwealth's Attorney.
 JAMES H. SALLEE.
 For Representative.
 JAMES E. CAHILL.
 For Circuit Clerk.
 ISAAC WOODWARD.
 For County Judge.
 CHARLES D. NEWELL.
 For County Clerk.
 CLARENCE L. WOOD.
 For County Attorney.
 FRANK P. O'DONNELL.
 For Sheriff.
 SAMUEL P. FERRINE.
 For Superintendent of Schools.
 G. W. BLATTERMAN.
 For Jailer.
 I. L. McILVAIN.
 For Coroner.
 JOSEPH D. WOOD.
 For Assessor.
 C. BURGESS TAYLOR.
 For Surveyor.
 OLIVER HORD.
 For Justice of the Peace.
 First District—Wm. B. Grant.
 Second District—John J. Perrine.
 Fourth District—John J. Thompson.
 Fifth District—John Ryan.
 Sixth District—Wm. H. Rice.
 Seventh District—Wm. H. Rice.
 Eighth District—M. D. Farrow.
 For Constable.
 First District—S. D. McDowell.
 Second District—J. G. Osborne.
 Fourth District—W. L. Woodward.
 Fifth District—Robert W. Alexander.
 Sixth District—Wm. Tuggle.
 Seventh District—Gus L. Tolle.

INDICATIONS.—Generally fair weather, preceded by showers in the northern portion; much cooler; fresh southeasterly winds, becoming northwesterly.

The Russellville Herald, which bolted Bryan and the party last fall, has come out boldly in support of the entire county, district and State Democratic ticket.

The great and only Colonel Watterson now refers to the country editors as "wild-cats," "mad-dogs," "bumble-bees" and such. They must have the Colonel on the run.

HENRY CLEWS put it concisely thus: "America is long of crops and short of troubles, whereas Europe is short of crops and long of troubles."—Times Star.

Now please tell us what you Republicans had to do with the long crops in America and the short crops in Europe.

The Sugar Trust is in trouble with a surplus of \$35,000,000, and does not know how to divide it without causing too much comment from the "fool people," and a "ribald press." Of course the trust will not fail to help Mark Hanna out in his senatorial campaign in Ohio.

The Irish potato crop in Fayette is very poor and the price per bushel has advanced from 25 cents to 75 cents within ten days.—Lexington Leader.

Hooray for the Republican party! Who says Mark Hanna and McKinley haven't put prices up? But where do the farmers get any benefit if they haven't any potatoes to sell?

The Michigan Salt Association on September 14th advanced the price of salt 10 cents a barrel, the second advance within sixty days. To outside agencies the latest advance is 5 cents. Salt is now quoted at 60 cents per barrel, against 35 cents a year ago. This salt trust will vote that prosperity has returned.

MR. GEORGE H. HEISER is formally announced as a candidate for re-election as a member of Council from the Second ward. Mr. Heiser is one of Maysville's leading business men and large taxpayers and has been very faithful in looking after the city's interests. His many friends will rally to his support in the present contest.

The revolt of Bradleyites and anti-Hunter people against Bailey, Republican nominee for Appellate Clerk, is growing more plain, says a special from Frankfort. Many State officials refuse to contribute to the campaign fund, and at least four have let it be known they will vote for Hindman, the Gold Democrat nominee. There is no question that the feeling between the two factions is daily becoming more bitter, and the Governor will go his length to down the other fellows.

At a sale of the property of O. P. Alford of Lexington this week Mr. D. F. Frazee bought the residence, corner Maxwell, Rose streets, for \$5,000; and also twenty-one acres known as the Alexander tract adjoining Clifton Heights for \$5,417.80.

DISCOURAGING REPORTS.

Kentucky Crops Suffering From the Drouth. Corn And Tobacco Damaged—Weekly Bulletin of Weather Bureau.

[For Week Ending September 13th.]

As the end of the crop-growing season approaches the prospect for all outstanding crops diminishes. The season was four weeks backwards at the start, but it is coming to a close with a very rapid pace, and, if the weather continues hot and dry for one more week, all crops will be harvested by October 1st, which is the usual time for winding up work on the Kentucky farm. The only work then unfinished will be the breaking of land for wheat, which has been suspended in all parts of the State on account of the exceedingly hard and dry condition of the soil.

Three weeks ago the prospects were favorable of nearly two-thirds of the average yield of tobacco in the entire State and about three-fourths of a good year's crop of corn, except in the drouth-stricken counties of the Green river valley, where the corn prospect scarcely exceeded half a crop. But the weather conditions since that time have been so extremely hot and dry that the prospects for these crops, which were short from the beginning, must now be reduced by at least one-fifth.

Not a drop of rain occurred in any part of the State this week. Only a few light showers at scattered points have fallen since August 22. Drouth, which a few weeks ago was confined exclusively to the Western section, has spread so as to include the central portion, and is gradually affecting the Eastern section. Crops, however, in the eastern half of the State are in much better condition than those of the western half, and, therefore, the sub-division that was made last week will be used again in this report.

The average daily maximum temperature over the State for the week was 97°. The daily mean temperature averaged ten degrees above the normal. This is an extraordinary spell of hot weather, and for so late a period is without precedent on climatic records. Until recently the farmers had grave apprehension that frost would arrive before their crops would mature. But unless frost comes within the next ten days it can add but very little to the damage already done by excessive heat. Scarcely a cloud has passed before the sun to obscure its burning rays even for a moment during the past ten days. As a result those crops which, though backward, were growing luxuriantly, have matured rapidly, while those that were afflicted by drouth are burned beyond possible recovery from future rains.

Western Section.—The situation in this section is that of the most serious drouth that has occurred in Kentucky for many years. With few exceptions reports are very discouraging. Ponds and creeks have gone dry, and even the springs and wells are fast yielding up their last drop, making the lot of man as miserable as that of the beast. Cattle have to be driven in some instances ten miles to water. In other places water is being hauled to them. Stock is suffering and looking poorly. Pastures are exhausted, and farmers are feeding cattle on corn, which in localities is worthless except as fodder. Corn on the up-lands will not make one-third crop. In bottom lands it may make one-half. This estimate is based on the variable appearances of the fields. When examined the ears are found to be small and the grain light and chaffy. Thus the prospect diminishes. Late corn is almost a total failure. About one-half the tobacco is now cut in this section. Most of it had to be cut green, as it was firing so badly. Altogether it will not make one-third of a good year's crop. "Gardens are a thing of the past." No plowing for wheat has yet been done. Fruits are rotting and falling fast.

Eastern Section.—Apparently in anticipation of continued dry weather farmers in this section have also begun cutting their tobacco whether ripe or unripe. A large amount of tobacco, which was ripe before cutting, has been laid away in tolerably good condition. Fully one-third the entire crop has been put to the knife, and the remaining portion is either maturing or yellowing so rapidly that, it is said, it will all be housed before October 1st. Corn in this section has all along been spotted. Since dry weather came it has begun to vary with the high and low lands. Late corn will be cut very short unless rain comes soon. The early planted is maturing rapidly under the hot sunshine prevailing, and will make about three-fourths of a crop. Much of it is already in shock and cutting is in progress. Foddering is also under way. A fair crop of sorghum is about made up. Pastures are becoming low, and complaint of scarcity of stock water is quite general. Drouth is fast taking firm hold on this section, although at present crop prospects are 40 per cent. better than in the Western section. Turnips are in poor condition, and so are both Irish and sweet potatoes.

G. J. O'CONNOR, Observer, Louisville.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

LANGDON'S—Twenty-five pounds sugar for \$1.

Don't fail to see Browning & Co.'s handsome line of new fall dress goods. Notice prices in the advertisement elsewhere.

Mrs. A. R. BOURNE has returned home from England and assumed her position as professor of civil history in Kentucky University.

The Turnpike Commissioners advertise for bids for completing two contracts on the extension of the Hill City pike. See notice elsewhere.

The potato crop throughout this section is a very poor one, and it is thought they will be selling for a dollar or more a bushel before Christmas.

September 27, 28 and 29, the C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets, Maysville to Louisville, at rate of \$6. See C. and O. agent for further information.

The public schools were dismissed Wednesday at noon out of respect to the memory of the late H. H. Collins, who was a member of the Board of Education.

SOME farmers in the county will finish cutting tobacco this week. A good many crops are very satisfactory, while many are very poor, particularly on the thin lands.

GODFREY HUNSICKER is a candidate for Councilman in the Fifth ward and solicits your support. He promises to faithfully look after the interests of the city and ward if elected.

HENRY MOSEBY, Jacob Morris and Ike Fields, the colored deckhands arrested Tuesday on the Sherley on charge of robbing Michael Ellis, a Syrian peddler, were dismissed at their trial yesterday. The proof was insufficient.

"The Right Worthy National Supreme Grand Lodge of the Ancient and Independent Order of the Sons and Daughters and Brothers and Sisters of Moses in the United States of America and the World at Large" has been incorporated at Washington.

WM. HOGAN was tried before 'Squire Howe Wednesday on charge of breaking into an outhouse at Washington and stealing. He proved an alibi. In the afternoon he was fined one cent and sent to jail fifty days by 'Squire Forman for striking a woman.

IMPROVE your eyes—get rid of that rough grinding feeling of the lids and clear your sight by applying Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. Thousands of people who never had sore eyes use it to clear the sight and strengthen the eyes. For sale at Chenoweth's.

THE two-cent postage stamp will soon appear in green instead of red. Chief Johnson, of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, recommends the change on two grounds. He says green is more suitable for Government documents and not so glaring and vivid. It is also cheaper, and will result in a saving of between \$3,000 and \$10,000 a year.

STATE INSPECTOR LESTER, in reporting on claims of Lexington policemen for arrests on felony charges, says it is evident to him that almost every street fight and petit larceny case in Lexington is magnified into a felony case by the police officers for the purpose of collecting a fee from the State. He thinks no fee should be paid unless the charge is sustained.

OUR local theatrical season will open Monday night with Col. Fremont's troupe of thespian stars, not one of whom can be classified as lower than a very bright light in matters pertaining to the stage. "An Old Soldier" is the initiatory play. It sparkles and vibrates with wit and life, fun and mimicry. The cast is admirably well balanced, the rehearsals are smooth and satisfactory, and if talent and effort count for anything the Fremont Repertory Company will not only fill many weeks of constant playing, but minds with pleasure, life with joy, houses with crowds and as a conspicuous luminary in the dramatic sky. Popular prices prevail; 10, 20 and 30 cents. Go Monday night and have a good laugh.

Friday's Cash Sale!

HUCK TOWELS.—Twelve miles from Belfast is the castle of the late Marquis of Downshire-Hill, which gives the town its name of Hillsborough. The town is a hive of thrift, its linen industry turning largely to Towels. The Hillsborough Company is famous for its Huckaback and Twilled Linen Towels. They are the same kind of intrinsic good values one gets under the "Old Bleach" label—that factory a dozen miles from Belfast in another direction. The Hillsborough Company's goods are grass bleached—no chemical rot has ever tainted their product. We made a cash deal on 2,000 Hillsborough Huck Towels and the shipment will make Friday's Towel show and give Maysville the greatest towel values we have offered in years. The Towels are all hemmed and have neat red borders. They are thirsty water soakers, forty inches long, twenty-one inches wide. Careful housewives and hotel men who use liberal size towels will make the most of this occasion. Price 10c.

WOMEN'S HOSIERY, LOT 1.—Forty guaze, black nose, improved toe, Heems-dorf dye. The color holds 'till the stocking wears out. Price regularly, 35c. Price Friday, 25c. Want to introduce them to the trade.

LOT 2.—Women's Stainless Black Hose, round heel and toe, crown make, good for walkers and kickers. Price was 25c. Price now, 19c.

LOT 3.—Women's High Class Fancy Hose, say two dozen styles at least, drop stitch, boot ankles, colored tops in solids and stripes, shaped as correctly as the skin of the foot. Every day price, 25c. Friday, 19c. each or two pairs for 35c.

D. HUNT & SON.

LANGDON'S—Twenty-five pounds sugar for \$1.

LANGDON'S cheap cash grocery. One thousand pounds sugar at, twenty-five pounds for \$1.

FOR SALE—Choice seed rye. Apply to J. C. Owens at the fair grounds, or Jas. W. Fitzgerald at Keith-Schroeder Co.

The wife of Attorney W. D. Young, of Ripley, was seriously injured in a runaway accident this week. She fell from the buggy and the wheels passed over her chest.

PORTSMOUTH TRIBUNE: "Charles F. Fist, of Maysville, is here to secure classes in painting. His Japanese work on glass is that of a true artist and his ability as a teacher said to be of a high order. He expects to locate in the city permanently."

MR. JAMES STEWART is announced as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election and respectfully solicits your support. He is well qualified in every way for the position and can be relied upon for a faithful discharge of his official duties if elected.

CHAIRMAN HAMPTON, of the Republican State Campaign Committee, says the decision of Judge Cox at Washington in refusing to reinstate John G. Woods under the civil service law as mail clerk at the Louisville postoffice means a great deal to Kentucky Republicans.

MESSRS. HARRY C. CURRAN and L. M. COX have formed a partnership and engaged in the real estate, insurance and law business. Mr. Curran will look after the legal business of the firm, and they will give special attention to negotiating loans, the settlement and management of estates, and the collection of accounts. Curran & Cox is the style of the firm and their office is in the Masonic Temple Building.

THE Farmers and Shipper's Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company of Cincinnati has been reorganized. The capital stock is \$700,000, divided into \$300,000 common, \$200,000 first preferred and \$200,000 second preferred. The stock has all taken and is oversubscribed. The directors and officers of the company are the same, save that two directors are added to the board, making it consist of the following: Briggs S. Cunningham, S. R. Burton, H. H. Peck, S. M. Felton, all of Cincinnati; Rod Perry, Warsaw, Ky.; J. C. Inwright, Jersey City, N. J.; T. Needham, Williams-town, Ky., and H. P. Montgomery, Georgetown, Ky., the two latter being the new members of the board. Mr. Peck was elected President of the new company and Mr. Perry Vice President, they being the same officials of the old company.

AGAIN, and let it be final, do we assure the public that those having our fair in charge mean honest conduct and perfect good faith in every department. So often have the papers stated this intention, but as there may still be some one who has not read it we gladly reiterate the fact. All premiums will be paid in cash immediately after awarded; no put off, no delay. The price of admission, 25 cents, is positively all the money you pay to take in Maysville's fair. We give you all the attractions, free drinking water and a general guarantee that no consumption or heart disease will kill you unless it come from over enjoyment, or a stricken conscience that you are getting too much for so little money. Remember the races each day are for horses which have no record, have not been tracked, to be driven by owner and must start on the afternoon allotted to the county to which it belongs. No entrance fee, no classes, a trotter or a pacer can go in the same race.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES.

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce DUKE A. RUDY as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Maysville, subject to the will of the people, at the November election, 1897. Your influence respectfully solicited.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce J. D. ROE as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Maysville, and he earnestly solicits the support of all the voters of the city.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce GEO. T. HUNTER as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville at the coming November election.

CHIEF OF POLICE.

We are authorized to announce W. A. STOCKDALE as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election 1897.

We are authorized to announce M. J. DONOVAN as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce D. F. ORT as a candidate for re-election to the office of Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce T. S. McDONALD as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT N. HUFF as a candidate for Chief of Police, at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce JAMES HASSON, SR., as a candidate for Chief of Police at the November election, 1897.

CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. L. DAULTON as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, 1897, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce M. B. STRODE as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, 1897, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce BEN T. COX as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, 1897.

CITY ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce SIMON M. CROWELL as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. OLDHAM as a candidate for City Assessor, at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce JAMES STEWART as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

COUNCILMAN.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE H. HEISER as a candidate for re-election as Councilman from the Second ward, November election, 1897.

COUNTY OFFICES.

JAILER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN JOHNSON as the Republican nominee for Jailer at the November election, 1897.

CONSTABLE.

We are authorized to announce JAMES V. BURGER as a candidate for Constable in Maysville Magisterial district No. 1.

WANTED.

WANTED—The ladies to remember I have a full line of fall and winter millinery that I am selling cheap. ANNA M. FRAZAR, 207 Court street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Desirable rooms, single or en suite, in a first-class boarding house at reasonable rent. Apply at 127 West Second street.

FOR RENT—The nice three-story brick residence adjoining the Baptist Church on Market street. Possession October 1st. Apply to DENNIS FITZGERALD. 9-d3t

FOR RENT—Two store rooms on Sutton street, adjoining Zweigart block, one dwelling house on Second street, opposite Mrs. Dr. Morgan's residence. To desirable tenants, these properties will be rented cheap. Apply to D. HECHINGER.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Supplies for all sewing machines. ANNA M. FRAZAR, 207 Court street. 13dt

FOR SALE—Southdown bucks. Apply to J. B. PETERS, Bernard, Ky. 27-1m

FOR SALE—One million strawberry plants. Choice varieties. Apply to A. J. McDUGGLE, Maysville, Ky. 28-1f

FOR SALE—A good second-hand iron door. Will sell cheap. Apply to No. 215 West Second. 11-d1f

FOR SALE—A good Jersey cow, five years old now giving about four gallons of milk daily; gentle and has been broken to lead. Address MRS. NANCY B. CLARY, Shannon, Ky. 5-ft

DARBY BURNER!

With this burner, which has stood the test and has proved itself to be as represented, no more dirt, no more freezing of water backs, and all the heat that will be required for cooking and heating. Same will be on exhibition in a few days at No. 17 West Second street. Due notice will be given.

I.M. LANE & CO.,

Sole owners of Mason, Lewis, Fleming, Bracken, Robertson and Nicholas counties.

The Bee Hive!

TAM O'SHANTERS!

Just received new invoices of above stylish headgear for ladies and children. All the latest designs, ranging in price from 19 cents to \$1.00.

NEW PLAID RIBBONS and
NEW ROMAN STRIPE RIBBONS,
the Fad for Neck and Sashes.

REMNANTS.—In every department they're marked one-half to one-quarter regular prices. See them before the best are picked over.

SPECIAL--Stamped Linens!

Fifty dozen Stamped Linen Doylies, from six inch to twenty-four inch, at 1, 2, 5, 10, 12½, 15 and 20 cents each; actual value 5 to 35 cents.

ROSENAU BROS.,

KINGS OF LOW PRICES

BIG REPUBLICAN SPLIT.
The Bradleyites and the Hunterites Are Making Things Warm For Each Other—Rows at Greenup.

Mr. J. G. Bailey, the Republican nominee for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, does not seem to have succeeded very well in enlisting Gov. Bradley's friends in his support. It is said that the breach between Gov. Bradley and his friends and the friends of Mr. Bailey, including Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter, Mayor Todd, of Louisville, and the members of the State Campaign Committee, has become serious.

The feeling has culminated in a refusal of many of the friends of Gov. Bradley to support Bailey in any way, because they claim that he represents the Hunter faction in Republican politics. As a result no speeches will be made for Bailey by Gov. Bradley or by his friends, and they will give him no support whatever, asserts the Louisville Courier-Journal.

An incident to show the way things are going occurred at Greenup, the home of Lieut. Gov. W. J. Worthington, when Attorney General Taylor, a close friend and advisor of Dr. Hunter, spoke there for Bailey. The local Republican committee in charge of the speaking invited Lieut. Gov. Worthington to preside at the meeting, but on the day it was to take place they received a cool note from Mr. Worthington declining the invitation. In his note the Lieutenant Governor gave as his reason that the Attorney General had criticised his refusal to rule in favor of taking a ballot for United States Senator on the first day the extra session of the Legislature met in March last.

"It is well known," said a leading Republican official, "that Dr. Hunter, who was nominated by the Republican caucus, wanted a ballot taken on the first day the Legislature met in extra session, and that he attributes his defeat to the refusal of the Lieutenant Governor to rule to suit him, and that he has no use for the Lieutenant Governor. This being known, and the further fact that the Lieutenant Governor has no use for Dr. Hunter, explains his refusal to aid Bailey, the Republican nominee. He will not speak for Bailey, nor will Governor Bradley nor his friends. I look for a violent explosion before ten days have rolled around. If Dr. Hunter gets out of his trouble at Frankfort he will at once begin work against the Governor, and will try his best to defeat him."

The meeting referred to at Greenup was the opening of the campaign at that point, and a high old time they had. There were four or five free-for-all fights during the day, and a drunken mob almost took possession of the town.

CITY MARSHAL DAN MILLER, of Ripley, slipped up on his friends this week by quietly taking his sweetheart, Miss Lily Myers, and driving out to Georgetown, where they were married.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Marriage of Mr. Charles Graham Lee and Miss Lena Gaither Wednesday Evening.

The marriage of Mr. Chas. Graham Lee and Miss Lena Gaither was quietly solemnized Wednesday evening at the home of the bride, Rev. M. B. Adams officiating.

The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Lee, while the bride is a daughter of Mr. Richard Gaither of Lewisburg.

The happy young couple friends join in congratulations and good wishes.

Don't forget the Yellow Ribbon Fair, September 30th and October 1st. Write to the Secretary, W. E. Shelton, and buy privileges.

SEED wheat at the Old Gold Mills.

ARTISTIC Footwear

If you will take a peep into our Shoe window you will see that we made our promise good when we said our Shoes will be as good as our Clothing. We are now prepared to show you the best line of Men's Shoes in the State. Every pair we sell you we warrant to wear well; if they don't, we give you another pair.

Next Week the Maysville Fair,

under its new management, will be in order. We will try to make it as pleasant for visitors as we know how. We always had a weakness for treating fair visitors fair. Come and see us; we will take care of your packages and parcels. Incidentally, if you so desire, we will show you the greatest line of

Clothing!

SHIRTS,
HATS and SHOES

in the country. Our prices—well, see the goods; the prices are all right.

HECHINGER & CO.,

Leaders in
Fine Clothing and Shoes.

New Fall Dress Goods!

Plain and Novelties in all wool at 25c. These are decided bargain.
A handsome line of plain Serges and Coverts at 50c.
A beautiful line of Plaids in all the new combinations, for separate skirts and children's dresses.
Hose for Ladies, Misses and Children to match.
Just received, twenty-five pieces of new and beautiful styles in Percales, for dresses and shirt waists.

BROWNING & CO

New Store Coming HAYS & CO.

Dry Goods, Clothing

And SHOE HOUSE,

ON OR ABOUT
SEPTEMBER 18,

In the Ficklin Building, adjoining the First National Bank.

OUR MOTTO: "Undersell."

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00.
F. B. RANSON & CO.

SOUTH METHODISTS IN SESSION.
Charges Preferred Against Presiding Elder Reeves, Formerly of This District.
Rev. F. S. Pollitt Elected Secretary.

MT. STERLING, Sept. 15.—This morning the delegates and visitors to the Kentucky conference of the M. E. Church, South, met and engaged in a prayer meeting until 9 o'clock, when Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, conducted Scripture reading, after which the seventy-seventh annual conference was ready for business. Few absentees were noted.

It had been expected at this point, the election of a Secretary would be a storm period, but the prayer service had so quieted the excited ministers that the vote was taken between Rev. John Reeves, of Winchester, former Secretary, and Rev. F. S. Pollitt, of Covington, free from friction. Pollitt was elected by a majority of twelve votes.

After the completion of the organization charges were preferred against Presiding Elder John Reeves under the law of prorata, to which Reeves pleaded not guilty. The charge of maladministration was also preferred against Reeves.

FIRE INSURANCE.—J. C. Everett.
TWENTY-FIVE pounds sugar for \$1—Langdon's.

J. H. RAINS & Co. pay the highest market price for wheat and rye, and have for sale the best brands of flour and salt.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S


Chocolate High Shoes

J. HENRY PECOR.

The Giddy Girls.
Ripley Bee: "J. W. Jones, an aged pensioner of this city, put an ad. recently in the Enquirer wanting a house-keeper, and up to date he has received about forty letters from all kinds of girls, and quite a number of the letters with free delivery stamps. Jones' age is probably seventy, and he has been married several times. Well, it's not our funeral, but we would simply ask, what is the matter with the girls, anyhow?"

The Darby Burner.
It is now on exhibition at No. 17 West Second street, next First National Bank. If you don't believe it can make all the heat you want, come and see for yourself. No dirt and less expense than any other fuel. We will bake bread to-morrow and the ladies are especially invited to call and see and taste same.

I. M. LANÉ & Co.
MEALS served at dining hall during the Maysville fair for only 35 cents.



CROUP CURED

Croup, whooping cough and colds are quickly allayed and danger averted by

DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR- HONEY

This famous remedy will cure an attack of croup in the time it takes to find a doctor. Every home should have it ready for the time of need. It is an infallible remedy for all bronchial and lung affections.

Sold by druggists at 25c, 50c, and \$1 per bottle or sent direct on receipt of price by The E. E. Sutherland Medicine Co., Paducah, Ky.

THE LATE H. H. COLLINS.

Resolutions of Respect Adopted by the Board of Education.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in the dispensation of his providence to remove, by death, from among us our esteemed fellow member Hiram H. Collins; therefore

Be it resolved, By this board, that in his death we have lost an efficient and faithful member, always alive to and conscientious in the discharge of every duty as a member of this board, looking to the best interests of the cause of education in this, the beloved city of his early adoption.

That this city and community have lost a most worthy and valued citizen and a man of highest integrity, the church to which he belonged an exemplary member and his family to whom this board offers its sincere sympathy, a loving and faithful husband and a kind and indulgent father.

That these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this board, and that a copy be sent to the family, and the press of the city be requested to publish them.

W. C. SADLER,
JNO. C. ADAMSON, } Com.
THOS. Y. NESEITT. }

PERSONAL.

—Miss Nellie Lalley is visiting friends in Flemingsburg this week.

—Miss Alta L. Dresel has returned home after several weeks visit at Newport.

—Miss Anna Noonan, of Covington, is attending school at St. Frances de Sales Academy.

—Miss Helen Hanstein, of Ripley, has resumed her duties as art teacher at Hayswood Seminary.

—Mrs. Mary J. Holliday has returned home after a pleasant visit to her niece, Mrs. George Caywood, of Ewing.

—Mr. John Peed, of Millersburg, spent Wednesday and last night with his mother and sisters on Forest avenue.

—Mrs. Haldy, of Cincinnati, has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Schaeffer, of East Second street.

—Misses Anna and Susan Clarke have returned from a visit at Cincinnati, accompanied by their sister, Mrs. John Hise, and her little son.

TAYLOR Brothers at Washington are selling twenty pounds Havemeyer's granulated sugar for \$1 and ten pounds Arbuckles' coffee for \$1, cash.

Grand Excursion to Cincinnati Via C. and O. Sunday, September 19th.

Grand championship game of base ball, Cincinnati Reds vs. St. Louis Browns. Don't fail to go on this cheap excursion, as this will be the last Sunday game of base ball this season. Tickets good going on train No. 17 passing Maysville at 8:50 a. m. Good returning on special train leaving Fourth Street Depot 7:15 p. m. Fare for the round trip from Maysville \$1. Remember there is no better time in the year than September to visit Cincinnati, as all the resorts and theatres are now open and you will be certain to enjoy yourself. Plenty of coaches for all. Apply to C. and O. agents for further information.

Highest market price paid for wheat and rye at the Old Mill Mills.

F. C. DAVIS, a dealer in groceries at Augusta, made an assignment a few days ago to Mr. M. C. Russell of this city.

The doctor may be a good old man, but even so, medical examinations and the "local application" treatment are abhorrent to every modest woman. They are embarrassing—often useless. They should not be submitted to until everything else has been tried. In nine cases out of ten, there is no reason for them. In nine cases out of ten, the doctor in general practice isn't competent to treat female diseases. They make a branch of medicine by themselves. They are distinct from other ailments. They can be properly understood and treated only by one who has had years of actual practice and experience in this particular line. This is true of Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a remedy for all derangements of the reproductive organs of women, has been in actual use for more than thirty years. It cures every form of "female weakness."

COAL MINERS' STRIKE OFF.

Most of the Men in the Pittsburgh District Have Returned to Work.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 16.—The coal miners' strike as far as the Pittsburgh district is concerned, is off, and 22,000 diggers have resumed work at the 65-cent rate. The decision to ignore the 10-day clause, which was a condition of the Columbus settlement, was arrived at late yesterday afternoon by a delegate convention of miners representing the entire district. There were only four dissenting voices, when the resolution to go to work at once was voted upon.

The convention was presided over by President Dolan. There were 118 delegates present, representing 103 mines. The resolutions adopted creates a scale committee for the year; requires mines to close down on Oct. 1, where the company refuses to weigh coal before screening; determines to continue camps at mines of New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company; assessing workmen 5 per cent of wages for the expense, and heartily endorses the uniformity agreement.

Calm Prevails at Hazleton.

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 16.—A calm pervaded Hazleton and its environs yesterday. The strikers maintain silence and good order. An extra guard was placed about the company's store at Lattimer yesterday in consequence of a current rumor that the foreigners were plotting to blow up the building.

SUSPICION OF FOUL PLAY.

Partially Decompose Remains of a Well Known Man Found in the Woods.

WARSAW, Ind., Sept. 16.—Hunters found the partially decomposed body of a man in the woods just north of town yesterday. The remains have been identified as those of George Billheart, who disappeared under suspicious circumstances some time ago.

At the time of his departure Billheart had considerable money and had been drinking heavily. The appearance indicates a suicide, especially as a revolver with one empty chamber was found near the corpse. The fact that no money could be found, however, leads to a suspicion of foul play. An investigation is in progress.

Romance in Colors.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—John Strange and Jesse Baker, colored, prepared to fight a duel with heavy revolvers near this city yesterday morning, but were arrested and fined \$100. They had quarreled over a colored widow named Jesse Whittaker, whose husband had promised her to Strange. Baker also fell in love with her and agreed with Strange to decide by the duel who should win the widow's hand.

King Christian Injured by a Fall.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Copenhagen says that King Christian, while ascending a spiral staircase leading to the beacon at Middlegrunde fortress, in Oro sound, stumbled and fell, seriously injuring his chin and mouth. The pain was intense and the king was obliged to return to Bernstorff, Isle of Seeland, where his physician is attending him. The king is in his 80th year.

BASE BALL.

Standing of the Different Clubs in the National League.

The following is the standing of the clubs in the National League:			
	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Baltimore.....	84	33	.718
Boston.....	85	35	.708
New York.....	76	42	.644
Cincinnati.....	67	50	.572
Cleveland.....	59	57	.508
Washington.....	55	63	.466
Brooklyn.....	54	66	.450
Pittsburgh.....	52	66	.440
Chicago.....	53	63	.458
Philadelphia.....	51	69	.425
Louisville.....	51	72	.414
St. Louis.....	28	92	.233

Yesterday's Games.

AT BALTIMORE— R H E
Baltimore.....3 1 0 0 4 14 *—13 16 1
Chicago.....0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2 7 4
Batteries—Corbett and Robinson; Griffith and Kittredge. Umpires—Emslie and McDonald.

AT BOSTON— R H E
Boston.....0 1 3 1 1 6 2 *—9 12 1
Philadelphia.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 4 2
Batteries—Stivets and Bergen; Sparks and Boyle. Umpire—Lynch.

AT BROOKLYN— R H E
Brooklyn.....1 0 0 0 3 0 0—4 7 8
New York.....3 2 0 2 0 3 9 0—19 15 2
Batteries—Payne and Smith; Rusie and Warner. Umpire—Hurst.

AT LOUISVILLE— R H E
Louisville.....2 0 0 1 0 10 0 *—4 10 4
Pittsburgh.....0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—2 7 2
Batteries—Cunningham and Wilson; Hughey and Merritt. Umpire—Kelly.

AT LOUISVILLE— R H E
Louisville.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2 6 2
Pittsburgh.....3 0 4 0 0 1 0—8 14 1
Batteries—Magee, Waddell and Wilson; Hawley and Merritt. Umpire—Kelly.

THE MARKETS.

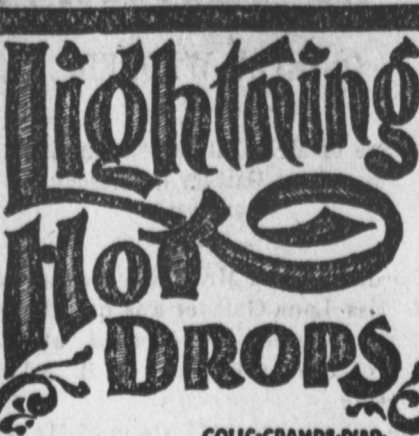
Review of the Grain and Livestock Markets For Sept. 16.

Pittsburg.
Cattle—Prime, \$5 00@5 10; fair, \$4 90@5 00; bulls, stags and cows, \$2 00@3 75. Hogs—Prime light, \$4 45@4 50; heavy, \$4 20@4 30; rough, \$3 00@3 75. Sheep—Choice, \$4 10@4 20; fair, \$3 60@3 80; common, \$2 50@3 40; choice lambs, \$4 00@5 50; veal calves, \$3 50@7 25.

Cincinnati.
Wheat—\$2 94c. Corn—\$2 33 1/2c. Cattle—Selecte butchers, \$3 85@4 35; fair to medium, \$3 00@3 75; common, \$2 25@2 90. Hogs—Selected and prime butchers, \$4 30@4 35; packing, \$4 10@4 35; common and rough, \$3 50@4 05. Sheep—\$2 25@4 00; lambs, \$3 75@5 40.

Buffalo.
Cattle—Choice to prime, \$5 20@5 35; fair to good, \$4 75@4 95; common, \$3 25@3 25. Hogs—Yorks, \$4 45@4 50; mixed packers, \$4 25@4 40; common, \$3 00@4 00. Sheep—Prime, \$4 50@4 75; fair to choice, \$3 75@4 00; common, \$2 25@3 75; lambs, \$4 25@5 65.

Chicago.
Hogs—Selected butchers, \$3 65@4 20; mixed, \$3 80@4 25.



Lightning Hot Drops

CURES COLIC—CRAMPS—DIARRHOEA—FLUX—CHOLERA—MORBUS—NAUSEA—A CHANGES OF WATER ETC.

HEALS CUTS—BURNS—BRUISES—SCRATCHES—BITES OF ANIMALS—SERPENTS—BUGS—ETC.

BREAKS UP BAD COLDS—LA-GRIPPE—INFLUENZA—CROUP—SORE THROAT—ETC.

RELIEF POSITIVELY GUARANTEED

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Changes in Postage Stamps.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The secretary of the treasury and the postmaster general, after consultation with the president, have decided to change the color of the current 2-cent postage stamp from carmine to green of the shade now used on government notes. The 10-cent postage stamp which is now printed in green, will be changed to some other color, possibly carmine. It is thought that green is a more desirable color than carmine, beside saving the government about \$10,000 in the difference in cost between the two inks.

Several Factories Burned.

NORTH MANCHESTER, Ind., Sept. 16.—Fire started in Dunbar & Matthews' butter tub factory yesterday afternoon and quickly spread to Noffger's foundry, Urey's store room, Straus & Roby's factory, the Big Four depot and several barns. On account of low water pressure the fire could not be controlled and assistance was sent from Wabash. Loss, \$70,000; insurance, \$30,000. Two hundred men are out of employment.

Burned by an Enemy.

WABASH, Ind., Sept. 16.—The fine two-story farmhouse owned by Charles Ullman, 10 miles northwest of the city, burned last night with all its contents. Loss, \$3,000; insured for half that sum. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary, as there was a strong odor of crude oil noticed by passers-by only a few minutes before the building was in flames.

Work of an Incendiary.

PERU, Ind., Sept. 16.—Colonel Josiah Farrar suffered a severe loss by fire last night in the burning of his large barn with five head of horses, 1,500 bushels of grain, four wagons and other property. The total loss is \$3,000, with \$500 insurance in the Ohio Farmers'. The fire was caused by an incendiary.

Presidential Election in Venezuela.
NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to The World from Caracas, Venezuela, says: Returns from the presidential elections in the various states of the republic show overwhelming majorities for General Andrade, the former Venezuelan minister to the United States.

Forest Fires.
HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Sept. 16.—Forest fires are causing much loss on the Carrell, Wilman and Stahlsmith farms in this vicinity. Much valuable timber has been destroyed, and the flames threaten to spread beyond original bounds, owing to the intense drouth.

Suing For Damages.
RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 16.—Samuel G. Furgeson has brought suit against the Grand Rapids railroad, demanding damages in the sum of \$15,000. He was hurt in the wreck at Coldwater, O., Aug. 9.

MOUNT OREO, O., Sept. 16.—Lewis Jamison, a huckster and stock buyer, was savagely bitten by a dog yesterday afternoon. His vest and shirt were torn from his body. The animal sank its teeth into his breast, lacerating the flesh in a terrible manner. His injuries are very serious.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Wheat—The market opened very firm, but there were no supporting orders, and, in sympathy with Chicago, values broke sharply. There was very little business on the decline. Foreigners were not buying. Corn and Oats—Weakness ruled here. The spot demand was fair, but options did not have much support.

Cash wheat brought 95 cents at St. Louis yesterday and 96 1/2@98 1/2 cents at Baltimore. Corn sold at 26 1/2 cents at St. Louis and 35 1/2@35 3/4 cents at Baltimore.

No. 2 red wheat brought 94 cents at Cincinnati. At Chicago September wheat opened at 95 cents and closed at 94 1/4 cents.

The local wheat market is off a few cents today. The Limestone Milling Company is paying 85 to 87 1/2 cents.

CINCINNATI TOBACCO MARKET.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15.—Buyers were more accommodating on the local breaks to-day and lifted the market from its late rut to a firmer and decidedly more satisfactory basis. The bidding was brisk and spirited.

Bright trashes and red tips were the center of attention, and notably higher. All grades, however, were firmer, and the market closed strong. Offerings were light, and probably an inducement to better bidding.

Shippers, owing to the curtailed crops, are not disposed to sell on a weak market, and are very confident of higher prices in the future. The lighter offerings is a result of their firm views. Not more than 600 hogsheads were offered.

G. A. R. Old Camp Fire

At Electric Park, on the Nights of September 23, 24 and 25.

Many prominent speakers have been invited and are expected to be present, such as Governor W. O. Bradley, of Kentucky, Lieut. Governor Worthington, of Kentucky, Congressman Sam. J. Fugh, Hon. John W. Yerkes, Hon. W. G. Dearing, Department Commander A. J. Tharp, of Winston, Ky.

Comrades from many Posts have been invited and we hope to see the Boys in Blue rally once again.

There will be a public drill each evening under command of Colonel Geo. M. Clinger and Adjutant T. K. Proctor.

We will have good music, with dancing. Tickets of admission will be 10 cents and each ticket holder is entitled to a bowl of bean soup. Other refreshments can be had on the grounds.

The Camp Fire will be in charge and under the control of the Joe Heiser Post No. 13, and good order will prevail. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Post.

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No. 16.....5:25 p. m. No. 17.....8:50 a. m.

No. 20.....7:50 p. m. No. 3.....3:25 p. m.

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